## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION 3:11cv50

CALVIN BROOKS,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	ORDER
L.J. DONAHUE, Officer, Charlotte-	)	
Mecklenburg Police Department,	)	
Defendant.	)	

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court upon Plaintiff's civil rights Complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 (Doc. No. 1).

Plaintiff alleges that on October 6, 2010, Defendant assaulted him, without provocation, by striking him in his right eye several times. (Doc No. 1 at 3). Plaintiff further alleges that his resulting injuries include problems with his eye, mental and emotional distress, pain, loss of sleep and headaches. (<u>Id.</u> at 3-4). Plaintiff seeks \$250,000 in compensatory and punitive damages. (<u>Id.</u> at 4). Upon a review of these matters, the Court finds that Defendant should be required to respond to Plaintiff's allegations.

## IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that:

- 1. The Clerk shall prepare process for Defendant and deliver it to the U.S. Marshal;
- 2. The U.S. Marshal shall serve process upon Defendant;
- 3. Defendant shall file a response to Plaintiff's allegations in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure; and

4. The Clerk shall send a copy of this Order to Plaintiff.

Signed: February 8, 2011

Robert J. Conrad, Jr. Chief United States District Judge